

I'VE HEARD
BUT I
WONDER...

IF THERE'S
ANYONE IN
THIS MANOR WHO
COULD TAKE
ME ON.





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THE CRIMSON KNIGHT

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I TOOK CARE
OF ALL THE
GUARDS OUTSIDE.
WHAT'RE YA
GONNA DO?



I GAVE YOU
HOTEL-LEVEL
ACCOMMODATION
AND FOOD





AND FOOD,
I DOUBT ANY OF
THE SERVICE
WAS UNSATISFACTORY.
WHAT IS
YOUR ISSUE?

IF YOU'VE GOT
COMPLAINTS,
SO TALK TO MY
ASSISTANT.

AH, WE'RE NOT
PARTICULARLY
UNHAPPY ABOUT
WHAT YOU DID
FOR US—



SEND US
TO ZONE 1.

WHAT?!

DOESN'T
SOUND LIKE A
HARD TASK
FOR YOU,
HUM?

STOP
MAKING JOKES.
THERE ARE RULES
IN PLACE
HERE.

YOU LOST AND
ARE UNQUALIFIED.
WHY SHOULD I GO
AGAINST THE RULES
FOR YOU?

I'M
SERIOUS
HERE.

I WON'T
GO EASY ON
YOU BECAUSE
YOU'RE A KID I
COULD KILL
YOU.



YOU WANT TO
GO TO ZONE
1 THAT BAD...?

WHY..



WHAT'RE
YOU ASKING
SUCH AN OBVIOUS
QUESTION FOR?
I'M GONNA GO TO
ZONE 1 AND TAKE
ADVANTAGE OF
ALL THE LUXURY
THERE.

YEAH,
THAT'S RIGHT!
ALL THE
LUXURY!

YOU SAID
THAT ZONE 1 IS THE
DREAM FOR ALL
THE BELIEVERS.

...





YOU WERE
HUMANS
TALKING LIKE
THAT...

I'D RATHER
DIE THAN TO DEAL
WITH SUCH VERMIN.



HEY.
JUST
SHOOT
HER.



HUND HUND
FOR REALITY

YOU THINK



YOU THINK
I'LL CHICKEN
OUT?
I'M BLAKE.



WHATEVER,
YOU'RE A HUMAN
TOO. WHAT'S SO
SPECIAL ABOUT
THAT?

GLENCH

I'M
NOT LIKE
YOU LOT..!











COME IN.



WELL, I DON'T
REALLY WANT
TO BRING YOU
HERE

BUT MY
ROOM'S THE ONLY
PLACE WITHOUT
SURVEILLANCE.



THIS IS YOUR
ROOM?

TH-THIS IS WHAT
A GIRL'S ROOM
LOOKS LIKE.



I THINK SHE
JUST HAS
WEIRD TASTE

BOTH
OF YOU
SHUT IT

WELL,
ANYHOW-

SO
YOU TWO
DON'T REALLY
WANT TO BE
BELIEVERS...?

YET
YOU WANT
TO GO TO
ZONE 1?

I
SHOULD BE
ASKING THAT
QUESTION

WHAT'S A KID
THAT DOESN'T
EVEN WANNA BE

A DEMAN DOING
HERE?

THEY
JUST LET
YOU BE?

THAT'S WHY
IT'S A SECRET.

WELL,
AFTER THINGS
ARE TAKEN CARE
OF, I MIGHT END
UP A DEMAN
THOUGH.

WHAT DOES
THAT MEAN?

I'LL BUY THIS
WHOLE PLACE.
ZONE 2.

THAT'S THE
ONLY
SALVATION..



WAS IT
ABOUT A YEAR AGO...?
YOU'D KNOW ABOUT IT,
TOO. THAT TIME WHEN
THE DEMAN LEADERS
APPEARED AND TOOK
OVER THE FIELD.

AT THE TIME,
I WAS HIDING
INSIDE A SMALL
PUB INSIDE THE
FIELD



ONE... TWO...
THREE... FOUR...

OH-- AH--

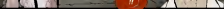
TEN! I KILLED
TEN OF THESE
ANIMALS!



HMM?? I KILLED
TEN TOO! IS IT
A TIE THEN?!

NO. IF I KILL
THAT THEN
I WIN.





THEN I
SHOULD
KILL IT.

IS IT
YOURS OR
SOMETHING?



I FOUND IT
SO I HAVE THE
RIGHT TO
KILL IT.



JUST WAIT
HERE, I'LL
KILL IT.

YA JOKING
WITH ME OR
SOMETHIN'!!

YOU REALLY
GONNA ACT LIKE
A CHILD?!





GRIT

IT'S NOT LIKE
YOU FOUND IT IN
THE FIRST PLACE,
AM I WRONG?

IF I KILL IT FIRST,
THEN THAT'S THAT!!!

...EXCUSE
ME...?



HOW
WOULD YOU
KNOW WHO'S
STRONGER BY
KILLING
SOMEONE
LIKE ME...?

YOU GUYS CAN
JUST FIGHT
EACH OTHER...



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AS NONSENSICAL
AS IT SOUNDS,
THAT'S HOW I GOT
OUT OF THAT
SITUATION...



BUT BECAUSE I WAS
THE JUDGE FOR THAT
FIGHT, THE DEMAN
STARTED LINING UP TO
ASK ME TO
JUDGE WHO'S
STRONGER.

AND THOSE
FOOLS MADE
THIS PLACE, THE
GENTLEMAN PUB.



BEING ALL
RESPECTFUL
EVEN IN FRONT
OF A HUMAN LIKE ME,
AND FIGHTING LIKE
GENTLEMEN.

WHEN THINGS
GOT BIG, THE FACT
THAT I WAS HUMAN
BECAME
PROBLEMATIC.



SO I SWORE THAT
I'LL BECOME
A BELIEVER
ONCE I BECOME
AN ADULT-

WITH THAT MARK
OF PLEDGE,
EVERYONE COULD
RESPECT ME AS A
BELIEVER LIKE THE
OTHERS.

SO THE
BELIEVERS HERE
NO LONGER HUNTED
HUMANS LIKE
SAVAGES.

WHEN I WAS
OVERJOYED TO
BE KEPT ALIVE...

I SAW IT.

THAT IT WASN'T
THAT SIMPLE...

WHAT WAS MORE
HORRIFIC THAN
DEATH.



HUMANS HAD THEIR
BODIES DEFORMED
AND WERE TRADED
LIKE THINGS.

THAT WAS THE
DEMAN'S WAY.

I SEARCHED THE
INTERNET IN SECRET
TO ASK FOR HELP.

THERE WAS
NEWS ABOUT
HEXAGON ISLAND
EVERYDAY THAT
MADE HEADLINES.

BUT ONLY
RUMORS ABOUT
WHAT WAS GOING ON
INSIDE. AS THE
ISLAND BECAME
ISOLATED NO ONE
KNEW WHAT WAS
GOING ON INSIDE
ANYMORE.



UN...?

THIS PLACE
MIGHT BE ABLE
TO HELP US!



I THOUGHT
I'D SEEN
HOPE.



CONNECTING TO
A CONSULTANT-

HOW CAN I
USE A CONSULTANT-



HELP YOU?



UM.. I, I'M LIVING
ON HEXASON
ISLAND.

RESIDENT OF
HEXASON
ISLAND?

LET ME CONNECT
YOU TO A
DIFFERENT
CONSULTANT.



HELLO, HOW MAY
I HELPT YOU?

UM.. I'M A
RESIDENT OF
HEXASON
ISLAND..

PLEASE
HELP ME..



CAN YOU DESCRIBE
YOUR SITUATION?

UWL I'M HELD
HOSTAGE BY DEMANS..
AND THERE ARE OTHER
HUMANS, TOO.
SO MANY HAVE
DIED..

ARE YOU
USING A
LANDLINE?

PARDON?

WOULD YOU LIKE
ME TO CONNECT
YOU TO HEXAGON
ISLAND INVESTIGATION
BUREAU?

THERES
NO SUCH
THING LEFT HERE
ANYMORE..!
WE NEED HELP
FROM THE
OUTSIDE!

AH.. I'M SORRY
TO HEAR THAT.
LET ME CALL YOU BACK
AFTER SEEING WHAT
WE CAN DO FOR YOU

AT THE
PRESENT, IT IS
DIFFICULT FOR OTHER
COUNTRIES TO
INTERVENE MILITARILY
OR PROVIDE
SUPPORT.

IS ALL
I REMEMBER
FROM THAT
CALL.



WEIGHING THEIR
INTEREST AND
POSSIBILITY OF LOSS,
NO COUNTRY COULD
REACH OUT A HELPING
HAND FIRST.

THERE WAS
ONLY ONE

WAY LEFT



KEEP
MAKING MONEY.
KEEP GROWING
MY E-STATE. KEEP
ATTRACTING
PEOPLE...

YES, THE DAY
I BECOME THE
MOST INFLUENTIAL
PERSON
IN ZONE 2-

I'LL CHANGE
THE RULES
HERE.







WHAT..?



I THOUGHT
YOU WERE
A CHILD..

BUT YOU'RE
DOING WHAT
EVEN ADULTS
CAN'T DO.

IS IT OUR TURN
TO TALK ABOUT
PLANS NOW?



SEND US
TO ZONE 1





I WILL
KILL APES.



KILL...
AGES...?



IS THIS
THE NEW
RECRUIT FOR
THE ELITE
TROOPS?

YES, YOU
CHECKED
THE PAPERS,

RIGHT?

HMM...
WELL, SUCH
A PRETTY
FACE MADE IT
THIS FAR.

BOOMK,
ANON!
OPEN THE
DOOR.

YESSID-!

KROHHH

DON'T BE

FEEL
NERVOUS,
MR. MALIKO

THE
SKY IS REALLY
BEAUTIFUL,
ISN'T IT?



ZONE
1 WILL BE EVEN
MORE BEAUTIFUL,
HAHA...





ZONE 1 IS LIKE
AN EMPIRE
OF GOLD.

I DON'T
REALLY KNOW
WHAT IT'S COVERED
IN SAND, BUT...



SAND...?

YES, LIKE AN
EGYPTIAN
TEMPLE.



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